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# PATENT APPLICATION

### RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2834

#### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Yasukazu HAYASHI

Group Art Unit: 2834

Application No.: 09/887,015

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For:

RELUCTANCE TYPE RESOLVER WITH REDUCED DETECTION ERROR DUE

TO EXTERNAL MAGNETIC FLUX

# AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed November 20, 2002, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

### IN THE CLAIMS:

Please replace claims 1 and 2 as follows:

- 1. (Amended) A reluctance type resolver comprising:
- a stator, constructed from a magnetic material, having a plurality of excitation teeth, each of which is wound by an excitation winding;
- a rotor having magnetic salient sections that are placed to oppose said excitation teeth; and